

## AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Please amend the above-identified application as shown herein. Applicant hereby requests a one-month extension of time to reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), for which the \$110 fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(1) is submitted herewith. Applicant also thanks the Examiner for the telephonic interview conducted May 22, 2001.

## IN THE CLAIMS

Amendment by Replacement Claims Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.121(c)

Please amend the claims to read as follows:

19. (Amended) The wireless communication system of claim 12, wherein said pattern of cells comprises a repeated pattern of cells consisting essentially of a first class of cells,